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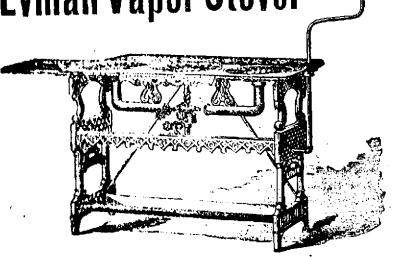
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and shoulder to shoulder with the times when you walk up to the polls. I want you, on entering politics, to align with the party that has the purest, most progressive record. I don't care a cont, my boy, whether you are a Republican or Democrat. There are honest men, patriotic citizens, good Christians, in both par-Only, I don't want to see you walk up to the polls and cast your

vote with the party
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That bought and sold men, women and babies, like so many mules; That fired on Fort Sumter :

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That is strongest in the States where the percentage of illiteracy is groatost; That has opposed every liberal

and progressive measure in legislation during the past quarter of century ; That was the defender of slavery ;

That is the defender of Mormon

That slandered Garfield; and That assassinated Lincoln.

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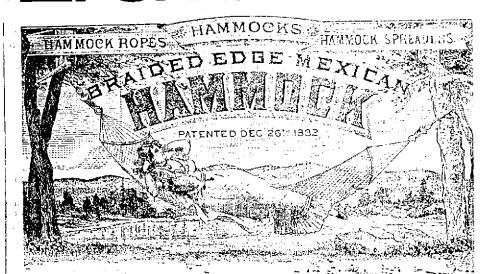
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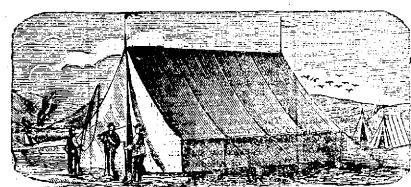
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THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 28, 1884. With said that Stephen Grover Unvolund is a childless bachelor?

CARTER HARMSON's letter of accept anno la out. It la as windy as its author, and will be read with mingled feelings of dissatisfaction and diagnet by the public.

Tuz Philadelphia Times calls Blaine's letter a companion-piece to the Republican platform. That is hast it. Mr. McChare couldn't have put it botter had be been a Stalwart Ropublican.

ORNEGAL McChanas is prosident of a company just formed, to ope rate probably the largest cattle ranche in the world. It is in Grant county, New Maxleo, and comprises LINO, DOO norm of grazing land.

Tue New York World says that Harrison, the "hoy preacher," has tome out strong for Oleveland. But Mr. Harrison says he will vote for Histor, and do all in his power to help clost blin. That is the way be "comes out strong" for the Domooratic candidate.

The Cholaunti Commercial Ga untto informs the sporting Domocracy, who are proclaiming their willingnow to but that Ohio will go Demo oratic in October, that "they need not go away from home to find investments. There are a good many people in Cincinnati yearning for aunh opportunitios."

The man who started the slander ngainst damen C. Diame's alleged improper railway speculations while he was Speaker of the House J. C. S. Hardson, the Indianapola banker

has not only wrecked his own bank, leaving his depositors in the ; threb but now prosus a defaulter as the receiver of the Indiana Banking Company, a position of trust to which he was appointed some time ago by a local court. A profty man he in to recuse other mon of dishoner

Tus organ grinder of the Review does not dony that he voted the prohibition ticket in 1883 and 1884. We wore morally certain that we had sir d him up protty well, but merely desired to call attention to the fact justly plead for help than does this party. that the man who error out against the enormity of what he calls "sumptuncy laws," and then votes year at ter year in favor of the very policy work of Calsary, the cloven tongues of the, the angels that excel in strength, that he publicly denounces will find is a little difficult to reconcile his

Tips conformer of so called "In dopendents" at New York the other day shows that history or reposting itself; it is the old story of 1872 told over agmin, only it benot so intorusting this time, being something of an old song. The independent movement is dying out, it was bigmee when it was born than at any subsequent period of its existence.

It is a sample fact that notwith number the frequent heavy business fullures throughout the country there In no sign of a gowernt paste. The material Interests of the country moon to be so Bendy grounded that no forts of a prine are visible. This country and here that later riot and infact, in turn, goes to show that the public inind rosts secure in the expostation that there will be no change in the policy of the government, much is a Domocratic administration wont the apt to inaugurate. We are to force no change, and no panie toddicty to bring about a change, mach we the Bourbons would desire

Tue labor stampeds in New York and Olde involves large numbers. Bishop (Illnour, of Cleveland, Isads the revolt in Northern Ohio. The Cathalie Union, of Buffalo, and the Iriah Nution aponks its voice in New-

Might The Irleh Nation says: A The triumab of the mon' who nomina-bel theretand was no much a slight and thent to the old loaders of the party as to the Irish, the workingmen and the anti-monopolisis who represent his nomination mantentionally. The intellect and expodelated that if the anti-slavery people had formed a National Prohibition party; maked had formed a National Prohibition party; maked had formed a National Prohibition party; maked placified control of the like bust and whose dark and devices meth-

sintenaniship with the once ruled the controls of the Democracy.

Inishmen of spirit have no choice. Closeland must be defeated, and the only any to do that effectually is by voting for dimerth that effectually is by voting for dimerth flatene for treaslant. Let us organize for the fight and cruely Know Nathanglem for all time.

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THE IPROHIBITIONISTS.

First Day's Session of the National Convention at Pittsburgh Yesterday.

"Constitutional Convention for the People and by the People," "We Vote Our Convictions.

Address of Welcome and Response-Temporary Organization-Pan-

PITTSBURGE, PA., July 23.-Lafayette Hall, the tried per of Pittsburgh and pride of Ponusylvania, presents this morning a scone probably more animated than any that has been seen under the roof since that memorial day, thirty-two years ago, when the anti-slavery Convention, representing all of the free and four of the slave States assembled to initiate an emancipation campaign. Its grimy walls are covered with sliken banners and wreaths of flowers and overgreens, and shields bearing the names of the various States are pendant from the galleries. A sheet of canvas stretched from wall to wall bears the inscription in gigantic letters: "Conattentional convention for the people and by the people." In the background

forming a semi-circle is the inscription. "WE WILL YORK OUR CONVICTIONS" To the right and left of the President's chair are howers composed of the Star-Spangled Banner, the Union Jack of Old England and the National flugs of Spain and Italy, while over the chair swings a floral shield with the motte.

OUR HOMES AND MOTHERS MUST BE PRO-TECLED. On the floor 500 men and women, their broasts resplendent with spangled sliken budges, are fast getting into their seats. They are delegates to the National Convention of the Prohibition Home Brotection party, and audible congratulations are being exchanged all over the hall on the auspicious opening of the largest Prohibition Convention over held in the United States. It was precisely eleven o'clock when Hon, Gideon T. Stewart, of

Ohlo, called the Convention to order and introduced Rev. Dr. A. Miner, of Boston, to lead in prayer.

Every sent on the floor and in the galleries was occupied, and the alsles and stairways were rendered impassable by

the dense throng of people, who had been mable to finding standing room.

After prayer, the Sceretary, R. W. Nelson, of Chicago, read the call for the on authon At the conclusion of Secre tary Nelson's reading the band rendered "AMERICA." Mr. C. L. Ross, of Chicago, delivered

the address of welcome in which he said full is a very great honor and a very pleasant duty to welcome to this city the delegates of the National Prohibition Convention. This is a large Convention recause it is made out of the essence o moral convictions. You are the most loyal representatives of this Government. You are the men and women most deeply concerned in the purity and genuine prosperity of its people. You manifest the truest patriotism and National pride. You represent communities where divine truth is the most vital. Your principles place a higher value on mind, body and soul and all highest industry and ad the departments of our Government than It is only heading the voice in the wilderness, the new commandment. "Go ye unto all the world." On our side are the "precious promises," the "one hour" of sout travail in Gethsemane, the fullshed out so long as trath oulckens souls, long will our cause grow. You might stay a tornado or a Niagara; but a million souls under the pressure of divine truth, never Do not forget the cause that brought you here. Back of us is a century of desolation, caused by a legalized liquor traffic, the long story of which is like a perpetual plague. This traille has become a heavy-headed giant, delying the armles of the living God Our issue is the question of the age, and you are most competent to discuss it. If we are maked "What is the influence of women in public places?" our answer is. "Lucy

Higes," etc. In conclusion Mr Rose said "When you come to choose a man for the highest office in this country, let it he office in this country, let it be a man whose labors have most richly blessed the cause of prohibition."

HON O F. SHIWAKL, Trulyman of the National Committee, In

behalf of the Convention, responded briefly He said Your city is symbolic of our cause Hero in western Pennsylvania the first rebellion against this Republic, a rebel-hon born as usual of the whisky barrel, went down under the bayonets of 15,000 numers and here that fater for the in-surrection against your city and State, horns as usual of the drain shop, was crushed by the civil and military power with bloodshed and great destruction of property; at the cost of millions of dollars to the tax-payers of the country. These monuments of the past should serve as beacons for the future, to warn your intelligent and pa-triplic nitizens to strike now with the white band of Probibition, armed with that great peace weapon, the ballet, the hlows that can save their homes and dostroy the destroyer, but which, if long delayed, may at last be strack in flames

and rules by the red arm of war."

He closed his response to the address of welcome by thanking the citizens of Pittsburgh for Lafayotto Ifali; for its majestic memories; for its lightning truths and thunder voice, to teach, to delegates for the great conflict before

Alter the applause which followed Mr Biowart's repease had died away, and without intervoling business, he at once proceeded to deliver the opening address to the Convention. In a longthy and ligorous apocoh he arraigned the ilquor tridle as a greater curse to the country than slavery before emancipation, and declared that if the anti-slavery people

history. He denounced any compromise on the liquor question, taking the ground

Forepaugh's White Elephant Cone

During the afternoon performance in a a amail town in Ohio, Forepaugh's White Elaphant broke away from its keeper and almost created a panio in the audience But the excitement is no greater than that which is prevalent in Decatur at the present time over the introduction of the cheeks. The nieral mode in the market, Mexican Palmes Soap Co.'s White Laundry Boap. It is a pure, unadulterated Soan, and does not contain any Anima Fut or Rosin; and you have the pleasing satisfaction while washing the fabrics,

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that "A compromise with crime is itself a crime," and that a "National crime can

only be dealt with by a National Prohibition." Pursuing the subject further he said: "Just before the late war, our Nation was shuddering on the verge of a decision from the Supreme Court of the United States, then announced and expected, that would have obliterated all the State Constitutional and statutory prohibitions of slavery, and would have converted every inch of the Republic into slave soil by National Constitution."

The Hquor-crime conspirators and their subservient politicians have been

and are attempting to accomplish a similar result by securing an act of Congress to be expeed by a Supreme Court decision, which will sweep away all State and local constitutional and state and local constitutional and statutory prohibition against the liquor traffic, and will give to the liquor crime the full license of the National constitution. To coerce the National parties under its control to do this work is now part of the great away of the liguor proven. ne of the great aims of the liquor power It is the only way to prevent the liquorcrime from soon following the fate of the slavery crime before the moral forces

which now shake the Nation. The speaker concluded his address with a plea for a new party of peace and progress, to bring again in joy and glory the reunion of the Republic. The hearts of all the churches and of all the people were against for such a party and it was were crying for such a party, and it was for this Convention to answer the cry and thereby do its share to bring about the

salvation of the Republic. At the close of the opening address Mr. At the close of the opening naturess air. Stewart received an ovation, and it was some time before silence could be restored. There were also frequent and long-continued plaudits at different points in the address, especially when he declared that the nominee of the Conven tion must be well-acquainted with for-eign policies, that the first and indispensable step of the Prohibition party must be the total abolition of the two war must be the total abolition of the two war parties which have so long divided the Union as with a sword.

After the opening address, temporary organization was effected by the election of Hon. Wm. Daniels as temporary chair-

man, and Mary T. Woodbridge, of Ohio, President of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, as temporary secretary.

Mr. Daniels neknowledged the compliment in a brief address, in the course of which he declared that in four years more every county in Maryland outside of Bultimore would be under Prohibitio rule. He referred to the great evil attending the license system, and cited the District of Columbia as an instance. The audience at intervals cried "shame" and When he referred to the inability of Prohibitionists to pass pronibiwas heard to cry out, "It's because Congress is in league with the devil."

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The speaker concluded by declaring that if the Democratic party failed of success next November, it would, before the next Presidential election disband as a party and the members enter the fold of Prohibitionists Hence it was important that our ballots should aid in promoting such a result by polling for the Prohibition ticket as large a vote as

It was after one o'clock when Chairman Daniels brought in his inaugural speechmaking to a conclusion with a passion-ate appeal for the breaking up of one or other the two existing political parties. When Daniels resumed his seat, stentorian cries came from all parts of

"MY MARYLAND" from the band, but it was found that the Instrumentalists were not equal to the Another portion of the audience called

"DIXEC;"

but the voices were drowned in howls of The local Committee on Credentials reported twenty-two States represented by 500 delegates At half past one the Convention ordered

the roll of States called for the members of the various committees When the Convention was about to adjouin, a warm wrangle was precipitated by the fallure of the Secretary to call the Perritory of Dakota for members of the committees. Several delegates charged that there was a desire to choke out Ter-

torial delegates.
Mrs. Burke, of New York, appealed in behalf of the Perritories, but the audi-ence was unwilling to listen, and in the midst of a scene of confusion at 1 30 p. in. an adjournment was taken until 3

Parsernen, Pa, July 24 -The Convention reassembled at 3 p m. Ten minutes were occupied in singing the "Glory Hallelujah and tivo more in prayer by Rev Dr Hayes, of Illinols. Considerable time was then consumed over a motion (which was finally lost) that in order to prevent the excitement and confusion of the morning sessions, the rules of Cushing's Parliamentary Manual should be adopted. This matter had scarcely been gotten out of the way when a clerical delegate on the floor rose to protest against the audience applauding with their feet as a remnant of the practices of the old parties and obnoxious to the true feelings of many clergymen present. The proposal was greeted with fromcal laughter, in the midst of which Rev. Dr. Blanchard, of Himols, secured the floor, and, as a clergyman, repudiated any desire to stiffe expressions of approba-

tion: "Cheer and BLOW YOUR BUGLES to your hearts, content," said the speaker, and the audience roundly ap-

plauded. Telegrams of congratulation were read from the Prohibitionists of Missouriand Middletown, N.Y., and Eastern Pennsylratulatory dispatch to the Temperance

gratulatory dispatch to the Temperates Convention which meets in Indianapolis to-day (Thursday)

At this point the chairman announced that Rev. C. W. Blanchard, President of Wheaton (Ill.) College, was present as the bearer of greetings from the native American and anti-Masonic party. It was preparationally resolved, that the reverend manimously resolved that the reverend gentleman be heard, and he was foully applauded when he took the platform. The speaker briefly referred to the cirumstances under which the American arty came into existence. He referred to the fact that two of its cardinal prin-ciples were prohibition and woman suftrage. Proceeding, the speaker said: There is only one point in which we do ot agree—we of the American party do oot believe in people who are members if a secret society holding public of-

This expression was the signal for an iproarious scene; half the delegates rose their feet with shouts of "time," "sit lown," "no," "down," "no insults,"

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etc., etc. Following this outburst came hisses from all parts of the hall. The speaker endeavored to proceed. The audience howled itself hoarse. speaker endeavored to proceed. audience howied itself hourse. stood on their chairs and shock their fists at the platform. Others yelled out points or order and questions of privi-lege, and bediam prevailed. Finally, with a few words of excuse, which could not be heard a yard away, the speaker

quitted the platform.

Delegate Smith, of Illinois, mounted on his chair, and evidently laboring sude great excitement, vociferously declared that the remarks of the preceding speaker was a gross insult to a large and respect able body of men, and moved that no other representative of a political party be allowed a hearing during the remainder of the Convention. This was loudly applauded, but was shelved for the time being by a reference to the Committee on

The Committee on Credentials was called upon for a report, but no response being made, "Old Hundred" was sung. HON. JOHN B FRENCH,

of Nebraska, was loudly called for, but rising in his scat, begged to be excused from making a speech, saying that he was here as a delegate, and desired simply "to work with the boys." MISS PRANCES WILLARD

was then granted leave to read a memorial from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, carneatly petitioning the Convention to advocate and adopt such measures as are requisite to the end that prohibition of the importation, exportation, manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages may become an integral part of the National Constitution and that the Probletion party's candidate for President shall be by character and public pledges committed to a National Constitutional Prohibitory, amendment. After a few remarks by Miss Willard, in which she explained that the Greenback, Republican and Democratic Conventions respectively declined to indorse the me-morial, a motion was unanimously adopted to receive the communication with a view to future action. [Cheers.]

The Committee on Credentials not yet being leady to report.

MRS. JACKSON, OF MARYLAND, was called upon and entertained the Convention for about ten minutes with an interesting and remarkably well delivered address on "Prohibition" At the con-clusion of her remarks, Mrs. Jackson was greeted with loud and long-con-

Three hours of indescribable noise, turnoll and bitterness followed this innocent diversion. It was initiated by the Committee on Credentials. This body reported that 436 regularly accredited delegates were in attendance, and that 1.31 additional were entitled to seats under the rulings of previous conventions, and further reported a resolu-tion that the delegates from States which had failed to send a full complement of delegates be allowed to cast the votes of the absent ones

This resolution was received with mingled cheers and howling. Dr. S. A Ransom, of New Jersey, and Rev. Dt. Hopkins, of New York, denounced it as disgracefully unfait, pointing out that the solitary delegate from Texas would, by its adoption, be enabled to cast nineteen votes, and that several other States, represented by but two or three delegates, would be given a vote of twenty or thirty. Dr. Hopkins said that if measures of this kind were to prevail the Democratic gag law of unit rule mightas well he enforced at the outset. Dr. Minor, of Boston, tried to pour oll on the troubled waters, but in vain

Scores of resolutions, amendments, points of order and questions of privilege were rained upon the hapless temporary chair PANDEMONIUM REIGNED SUPREME. Delegate Greene, of California, mount ed a chair and demanded to know if the

men who had traveled three thousand miles from the Pacific coast at a personal expense of \$500 each, were to be muzzled and gagged by the Convention
Hopkins, of New York, retorted by
asking if future conventions were to be made mere machines in the hands of unscrupulous men in order that the wishes of the Californians might on this occa-

Finally, aundst a perfect bedlam, the report of the committee, including the resolution, was put and declared carried The declaration was challenged by Dr. Babcock and Delegate Howell, of New York, and a call of the States demanded. The victorious element should to the

and a moment later the instruments drowned the steutorian voices of the New Yorkers and the cries of "shame" which ensued When the music had ceased the challengt was renewed, but the Chair ruled that it came too late. More confusion followed, and eventually, while the Convention was beyond the control of the Chair, the roll of States was called for members of the Committee on Permanent Organization and Commit-tee on Resolutions and Rules, which were appointed and given permission to

It was unanimously agreed to adopt as the sentiment of this Convention the views expressed in the memorial of the Womans' Temperance Union, which was presented early this alternoon by Miss Frances Willard. About twenty motions were made to adjourn amid .the greatest onfusion, and for a long time the temporary chairman was unable to make himself heard. One of the female delegates characterized the proceedings as an insult to her sex, and appealed to the Convention to preserve order as Christians should do. "Why," saidshe, "this is worse than a Democratic pow wow." Finally at 6 50 p m. a recess was taken until eight o'clock.

EVENING SESSION. PITTSBURG, Pa, July 23 —CONVENTION HALL —Previous to calling the Convention to order to-night, several sough

were sung and numerous cheers were given for the STARS AND STRIPES

The thermometer played around in the mnetics, and it was suffocating in the Convention Hall. Delegates threw off their coats, and in some instances their coliars in order to keep as cool as possi-

Since the receipt of ex-Governor St John's declination his picture, which was hung under the Illinois banner as the choice of that delegation for Presidential candidate, has been removed. The Convention reassembled at eight o'clock, when the Committee on Perma nent Organization reported the name of PROFESSOR SAMUEL DICEIE,

President of Albion College, Michigan as Permanent Chairman, with one Vice-President from every State. Ten of the atter were women. As if in irony, six of the most prominent participants in the iheated debate of the

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afternoon were appointed Sergeants at-Professor Dickle made an acknowledgment of his election, which, though brief,

was the best speech of the day.

Considerable time was spent in desultory discussion of the report of the Committee on Rules. By a large majority the Convention refused to adopt the twothirds rule in the nomination of candidates, and adopted the majority plan.
On the call of States, the following named gentlemen and indies were aptheir respective delegates as pointed by nembers of the

NATIONAL COMMITTEE Alahama-J H Haut California-Mrs. Emory Litz Stiner and Robt. Glasgow.
Connecticut—Geo P Rodgers and A.

Morehouse.
District of Columbia—J. A Wheeler and Chas. M. Nyt. Dakota—Theo. Kenouse and Geo. A Cressy Jilinois-Dr A. J. Jenkins and J. A.

Kansas-J. H. Pyers and Jos Perkins. Maine-W. T. Eastis and N. F. Wood-Maryland-John L. Thomas and Leon-Massachusetts—Not yet selected.

Van Fleet.

Michigan-D. P. Sagendorph and Rev. John Russelt. Minnesota-L. Bixley and W. W. Sod-Missouri-M. W. Hudson and A. F. Nebraska-C. F. Stempin and John D.

New Hampshire-Chas. A. Hovey and John Fletcher. New Jersey-Dr. T. Edgar Hunt and Rev. Sunderland Parsons. New York—Rev. Thos. J. Bissell and J.

W. Bruce. Ohio-Mrs. M. Brown and J. Odell Pennsylvania-Hon. Jas. Plagg and Tennessee-J R. Anderson and J. W

Wisconsin-Hon Samuel D. Hastings and B. E. Van Buren.
It was agreed to direct the National Committee to fill vacancies from States not now organized. Mr. James Flagg, of Pennsylvania, was authorized to call the National Committee together for organi-After some routine buriness of no pub-

lic interest the Convention at 10 05 pm. adjourned until to-day at mine

BASE BALL BREVITIES. Score of Games Played on Wednesday,

St. Louis, Mo .- St. Louis, 2; Cincinnati. 0. Philadelphia, Pa.-Metropolitans, 10, Athletics, 3. Columbus, O .- Columbus, 7; Indian-

Brooklyn, N. Y .- Brooklyns, 10, Allechenys, 4. Taledo, O -Louisville, 1; Toledos, 0. Buftalo, N. Y .- Buffalos, 10; Detroits,

Cloveland, O .- Clevelands, 16; Chicago, Providence, R. I.-Providences, 11; Boston, Mass .- Ph Indelphias, 5; Bos-Washington, D. C.—Boston Unions, 9; Nationals, 1.

THE G. A. R. REUNION.

A Great Day for the Grizzled Veterans of the War. MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., July 24 --- Yesterday was the grandest day in the history of Minneapolis, of the character, perhaps the greatest the country has ever seen. The streets were clowded all day. It was eleven o'clock before the gun which was the signal for the procession

to start was fired. Then the excitement began, and the MAINED AND YEAR-WORN VEH RANS passed through the streets with their ragged flags and old uniforms cession took one hour and a half to pass a given point. Much enthusiasm prevalled, particularly when General Logan or General Sherman Were The former rode on horseback with the Illinois delegation. Shermin rode in a carriage with the Missouri delegation. It is estimated that 200,000 people viewed the procession. At the reception late ast night General Rosser, the ex-Confederate, responded to the toast,

"THE BLUE AND THE GRAY," amid much cheering and applicate. The delegates will meet to-day to select the next Grand Commander, with the chances between Generals Sherman, bounts, of Olno, and Carnahan, of Indiana. Ely Van Riper as Special Commis-

Washington, D. C. July 21 -The Department of State sont a message by cable yesterday to E. G. Van Riper, American Consul at Moscow, authorizing that gentleman to act as the Special Commissioner in Russia of the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennia Laposuion. Consul Van Riper sent an unus-ually fine exhibit of Muscovite indus-tries to the Foreign Pair held in Boston last year, and as he has been authorized to act in concert with the authorities of the empire, he will doubtless excel all former efforts in that line at the New Orleans Exposition.

No Commission for Jarrett. WASHINGTON, D. C , July 24 -It seem to be definitely settled that the President will not commission Mr Jarrett, of Pitts burgh, Chief of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, so new candidates are coming forward, among them Mr. Charles S. Hill Statistician of the State Department Friends of ex-Mayor Powderly, of Scian ton, and M. F. Holderman have again presented their candidates. Mr. Hill has presented their candidates Mr IIII has a very strong backing, and his chances for the appointment are considered here better than any other candidates.

A Poor-House Burned.

KEOKUK, IA, July 21 -A three-story orick of the Hancock County, (Illinois) Poer-House buildings, at Carthage, burned yesterday morning. The pauper inmates were all removed. Much trouble from an adjoining building, who were in danger from the excessive heat. No lives were lost was experienced in removing the insane

PRINCETON, N J., July 24.-Rear Ad miral Geo. F Emmons died Jesterday at his residence here, aged seventy-five. He s been on the retired list since August

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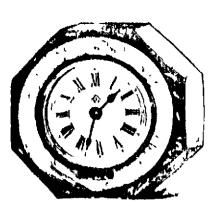
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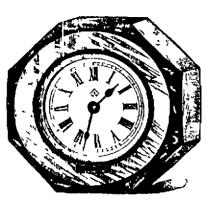
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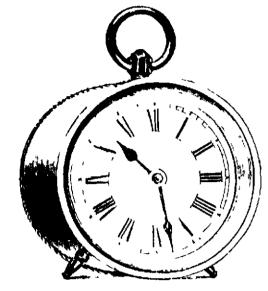
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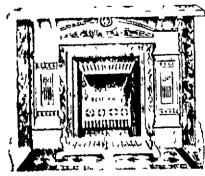
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ALL members should attend the Blaine and Logan Cinb meeting to-morrow night at headquarters, near the council room THE infant child of Mr and Mrs Ernest Witzeman has been dangerously ill for

Tur programmes for the band concert to night may be had at the stores of Leo

and Henry Ebert Get one San Lee, 130 North Water street-machine irone l shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents units 5 cents per pair. decil dly

MR JOHN K WARREN yesterday com mouced putting down 400 feet of brick walk about his new residence, on West Decatur street John Grass is doing the

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Im police put a drunken man in jail last night at 12 o clock This forenoon at 1 Marshal Mason went over to take the party out and give him a chance to plead entity. He built not nobered oil and he was river another chance to cool off. He

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MRS DECTRIOR, of 16 Hadson st, New Haven, Com, walked the floor all night sullaring indescribable neuralgic pains in her head and face "As soon as it was light in the morning, she writes, "my dangator started out to get somothing to relieve me The doctor told her that Athlophoros was the best thing known She got a bottle. After taking two doses the pain all left me as if by magic I shall always keep Athlephores in the

Attention Working Men John Irwin, at the White Front has just received a new lot of A 1 Jeans jaly 17 d &w2w

Antoron mountings for harness are the best in use-will never rust or change their bolor. If you want the best, call and examine the Amoton. For sale only by J. G. Starr & Son. jun24d&wtf

Thursday, July 24th, will be ladies day at the great New York Fire Store, Carter's block, west side old equare. Every mother in Decatur is invital to vient us on that day and inspect the line of boys' clothing. Come early, jul22 3d. " look through

Prof. J. Holbrook, representing the Normal College or University at Lebanon, Ohio, arrived in the city last evening for the purpose of conferring with Decatur parties with reference to the important | Doffenbough had a quarrol about a dog matter of establishing a college in this city, a proposition that has been under | making an assault on the former with a consideration for nearly a year. Prof. Holbrook wants to locate in Decatur, and if he can secure terms within reach of the somewhat limited resources of his people be will certainly select Decatur as the allow any Illineas man to talk back at point preferable above all others. Several propositions, said to be good ones, | peace warrant has also been issued for the have been submitted for his acceptance. He is now here to make a final decision The Dr Joseph King property in the second ward, which can be had for \$7,000, from Hillsboro, Ill, where this week be is the ground selected, but the Professor desires 10 acres of land altogether before adding more buildings, such as dormitories, a large boarding house, residences for the faculty, etc., before completing | Herd Book. He was on the streets to-day arrangements. If the ground can be had on terms agreeable to him, the college the institution will start with 250 to 300 students, which number will be increased

Storm Talk.

Fred Smith says he has been out in the rural districts and knows that a considerable portion of the corn was blown flat by the hurricane of yesterday. Most of it fell to the west. He thinks a storm from the west will blow it back again, and gave the crop. W C Outten was in the northeastern

ticed much of the corn blown down. The cats crop was injured but slightly by & Besides the damage to the corn the apple crop in the city and county northward

part of the county during the storm of

esterday. On the way to the city he no-

suffered greatly The John Sackenruether residence, on Upper Court street at Pekin, was struck by lightning during the storm of yesterday, and damaged by fire to the extent of \$1,100. No other damage except to corn

and orchards. John King, hving near Metamora, age north of Decatur by blowing down Woodford county, had two borses killed by lightning

At Mattoon the roofs of several dwellings were more or less damaged. The P, D & E depot at Latham was struck by lightning. Will Lewis, of this city, was standing on the platform ten

minutes before the building was struck-He came away on a trnin Corn in the vicinity of Argenta is badly

Tur harricane of yesterday made things mite lively for awhile in the vamity of the mound. The large grape arbor on the promises of Rev F W Niedermeyer was blown down and almost entirely wrecked, The loss is estimated at \$10. The bill boards near the Union dopot were blown

The I meet Captain Elwood and the Guards were out on the streets last night They spent several bours drilling, and returned pleased with the evercise. They were their handsome fatigue uniforms. Wait till the Guards receive their parade suits, which have been ordered. Then the boys will cut a big swell

HARRY ACPLER, son of Mr and Mrs Ence Kepler, was the victim of a com plete surprise visitation last night at his home, on East Decatus street The party included many of his little friends, who came to celebrate his birthday anniver The children were warmly received

Change of Ownership

Mr John T Montgomery, the short hand reporter, has purchased the stock of fine family groceries owned by Mr James M Bell, on North Water street, and the purchaser took possession of the store last evening The business will be carried on at the old stand, corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets, and will be in charge of Mr. Wm. Montgomery, brother of John T William has long been in the greecry trade, having been n salesman at John Washburn's store for m my years, and he invites all his old friends and the public generally to give him an early call when wanting snything in the grocery line. The store is in a good location, and already has a good run of coatom. The stock is bret class, and will be kept up to the standard at all times. Mr Bell will go to kausas

A LARGE party of Decatur peorle will go to the Skillman Allen grove near Har ristown to morrow, and participate in a pienic Miss Nellie Durfee is arranging for the extellition

The State Case

Yesterday afternoon James B Carroll rel a hearing before Justice Lowry on the State warrant charging him with sell ing intoxicating liquors in less quantities than me gallon in violation of the State law. He waived examination and was held to wait the action of the December grand jury The bond was fixed at \$500,

security being furnished by the defend ants father, Michael K. Carroll. MR Jupp the Park custodian, has empty put and half pint bottles for sale at very low figures. Every morning as be gots about in the Park cleaning up,

a drop in any of them Officers of the Club desire it stated thet this is not ladies night at the Deca tur Club Rooms. The receptions are held on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. The doors will

be open to the ladges next on the evening of August 7th B Z T Stuck on Telephone

B Z I are the initials of the President of the Mexican Palmen Soap Co. B. Z T is also the name of a Laundry Sear now on the market manufactured by the above firm It is a pure Laundry Scap. No old Soap Grease or Rosin used in the manufacture of this Soap, and it will wish as well in hard as in soft water. "Telephone" is one of the greatest discov eries of the Ninetcenth Century. "Tele phone" is also the name of a Lanndry Soap manufactured by the Mexican Palmea Soap Co, and you can buy the same from your grocer All of the soaps man ufactured by the Palmea Soap Co are

to try these soaps. THE types made us say yesterday that Mr. Armstrong had bought the new fire

pure Why not use a pure soap, when

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Grease and Rosin made soars. Don't fail

Justice Curtis, on complaint of Isnac Barnett, of Oreana, has assued a state warrant for the arrest of Martin Doffenbough, also of Oreans. Barnett and which, it is alleged, ended in the latter pitchfork. Barnett was bruised about the arms in warding of the blows. The accused is a Kentuckian Barnett states that Doft said he'd be blanked if he'd

him, and then trouble commenced. A

94 000 in Jersey Cattle Mr. D L Vigns has returned home purchased a herd of thoroughbred Jersey cattle, numbering fifteen head, for which he paid \$4,000. The heid is headed by 'Montgomery Chief,' No. 2800, American and was seen and admired by many of our citizens. The entire herd is now in will certainly come to Decatur He says the city, and will probably be shown at the county fair by Mr Vigus.

> The many friends of Mr A G. Harris the lawyer, who left Decatur with his wife and child about a year ago for Huron, Dakota, will regret to learn that he is now ying dangerously ill and very much emeciated at the home of his brother at there from Dakota on last Sunday morning, and was thought to be sinking rapid ly yesterday, whon Mr and Mrs John Hatheld, parents of Mrs Harris, visited him. Mr Hatheld got home last night. ney trouble, and has been growing worse

The Baby s Home

Overseer Newell has found a home for the little boy baby found yesterday morn ing on the Ennis premises by Officers Cole and Helmick. The little stranger has been received by Mr and Mrs James Ensminger, who reside at No 1530, North Calhoun street. The couple have a child seventeen years old, and the buby is now the pride of the family

PERSONAL MENTION.

Prof J Holbrook, of Lebanon Ohio registered at the New Deming Miss Mollie Beall is at Springfield vis

ting Miss Lillian Brandom Albion Smith, representing a Cincin nati paper house, is in the city.

Rev J P Dimmitt west to Jackson alle this morning. He will return Satur States Attorney Johns arrived homfrom Phi adelphia this morning Also

Mr and Mrs Tom Brying left this morning for Denver and Pueblo, Col Phoy will be absent until Ang ist

Prof Will L Smith, of Decatni a bell ringing and concert troupe, is in the city taking a short rest Mr and Mrs W. R Presie have return ed home from a ple sture trip to Boston and the fashionable resorts in the east.

Thomas Wadkins, of Champaign, and Miss Nannie Pease, of Decitur, were had evening granted a license to wed Robert Oglesby went to Lincoln last

evening to visit his father, the next Governor. He will return to morrow Dr Wm Sturgis, of Macon, was in the city yesterday attending the rigular session of the Pension Board, of which he

the funeral of Mig B S Roots, who was having that grabbed it The balloon had met accidentally billed at Milwaukce Jacob Leubsimen, who has closed up his saloon because the galk a business does not pay, will leave in New York on

Prof E A Gastman has returned from

Monday He will probably place actock of groceries or other goods in the saloon Joseph T Timmons, of King City, Mo, ormerly of Macon, this county, is in the city to day a companied by his interesting family. Mr. I has prospeted state his location in Missouri and is in good.

circumstances He met scores of his old friends while mill ecity to day The invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Alice Hawkes, with S G Hatch & Bro, and Mr M L Parker, cutter at

Race & Co s, which will be solen nized at the home of the brides parents next Wednesday evening, July 30th Charley Winebrenner is at Omaha this week, managing the Council Bluis tean ne the tremens tournament. Brett and Devore, of this city, are the couplers with the C B team. It is pitted against the Thurstons, of Orotho a bired professional

toam of hose company runners Mrs Emma Schull off daughter Mr. and Mrs Joseph Mills, this city, is dangerously ill at Athany Garnot county,
Mo Her boy haby and two weeks, died
a month ago, since which time the mother has been very eick. Mrs. Mills will go to

Albany this afternoon S 5 Tack had political bismess a Springheld yesterday, giving the Demo-cratic State Central Committee pointers as to how the double back action tariff for revenue only, or tariff only for rove nue campaign should be con lucted. S

S. 18 the own and only artful dodger James M. Bell, who list evoning our rendered his stock of family groceries on North Water etreet to John T Montgom ery, the purchaser, will leave for Dodg s City, Kansas, the last of next week, to an gage in business William Montgomers with John Washburg, has charge of his brother a store

Attention Patriatchs Regular meeting of Decatur Encamp ment No 37 I O O P, thus (Lamsday) evening, at 9 o clock, sharp Work in the Golden Rule and Royal Purple degrees Visiting Patriarchs invited WM H PATTERSON, C P

J. C. MARK, Scribe

A New Wrinkle Traffic Manager Schrader, of the Ith os Midland, has introduced a new wrin kle in railroad operations and has printed 5,000 circulars for distribution among the commission merch mis of the South and East, giving a complete list of the dealers in grain, hay, broomcorn, stock, coal, etc., at every town on the road, from Terre Haute to Peoria, a distance of 176 miles The list will be convenient for those wish ing to establish correspondence with the towns named.

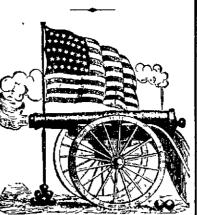
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A Series of Games The High School Nine of this city, and the nine at Cerro Gordo, are to play urst game was played at Cerro Gordo or the 22d, when the score was 7 to 1 in favor of Decatur, the skilled pitching of Tuttle and the hard-to beat catching of Jones being too much for the village players The visitors speak in the highest terms of praise as to their reception and treatment at Cerro Gordo

UP IN A BALLOON

Since Geo P Miller and the Cretors Bros have been sending up hot air bal loons to entertain little and big folks, people generally have been discussing the probable sensations and what can be

visit Decatur soon, accompanied by Lee Choney, a venturesome newspaper report er of the Leater, went up in a baltoon

night after dark near the farm house of Winstern four miles southeast of Mahomet with out any injury whatever Tho volage was on the hoop at two the heads of the travelers When about to land all ballast had been brown overhoard and the diag rope was k out in Di Witt county and draggolfor som istance. When trying to come down Proyou've probably got small pox on board soun set reaping machines were bear land

rry a talked to that gentleman at a consider Tamaroa, where he yesterday attended | near Stein a firm seized the rope, a small boy paged an open mairle and upon descending about twenty in n and ball as mary labes were present. Mr. 8 crn Invite I the two tray up and stay with him, an laupper wa served at eleven o lock. They all pt at the two contience drove into Mahomet awaiting

nor there with State Senitor Bartholow, of Platt county The highest altitude attained was 19,00. feet meanly two miles and the distance trav the twee the pt in miles. Thus has engel one

Correction The statement in the Herald this morn ing that to night is 'ladies' night' at the Decatur Club is an error The Club received its lady friends on Thursday night of last week

Condition of Crops

Macon -Corp is up to an average ondition—the crop on drained land will make more than an average yiel I per acre berginm cane will make about an aver y a failure and not one third of an aver nge crop yield per nore will be secured Winter wheat promises but little over hal an average yield per acre. Rye and onto strawborries, raspberries and gooseberrie The wool clip is not quite as large as las eason. The draininge is quite general is the county, and the work of thing has been rapidly extended of late. Farmers are largely engaged in breeding improved stock of all kinds

"An Early Grapple of Political Giant in Illinois' is the title of a paper in Th Current of July 26, Ly C W Waite treats of the great canvass of 1823-24 when the slavery question was first made an issue in Illinois politics, and shows the TISTIC. when the slavery question was first made respective attitudes taken by the notable men of the state at that time. As an exposition of an exciting and important his toric episode, it is most entertaining.

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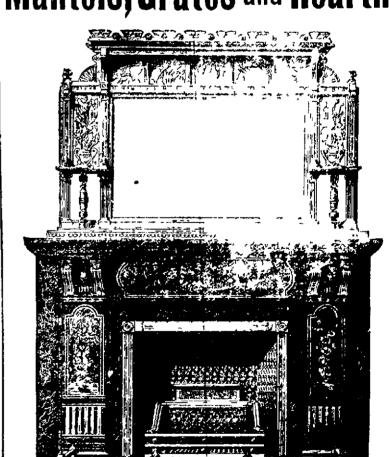
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A Ride of 50 Miles Over McLean and DeWitt Countles into Platt

seen on a trip in the air Prof King, a noted promaut, who may

from Bloomington recently. Their expe rience is thus described by Mr Cheeney, in the Leader on his safe return Itol King and Mr Chiney arrived to day in the city in m. Mahomet. They landed last slow on account of no wind About thirty minutes after being up they saw Hu ison Nor mal, Bloomington Il ; worth Randolph Cim ton Wapella Downs Tolloy Farmer Gry, Holder Padua Arrewsmith and Saybrook Those were seen simultaneously Two pigeons let out refuse 1 to go below, and sat tegethe

king yellel at loba Dixon who had a fatt bolow, and asked Canyou catch our rope the answer came back "Don't want you people were seen when the balloon was a mile high
At 40 the La loon passed Mansfield, an there most of the partable objects were left and carrist back to Pamer City At this lat for point Mr. Anderson, a friend of Mr. Che

Ose night this week Jacob Troutman whose farm is near Sharon church, four miles west of Dorntur, had a fue cold killed by lightning It was found in the posture, the next morning, dead Jacob valued the colt at 3150

The following is the condition of the crops in Macon county, as reported to the Department of Agriculture to July nge yield per nore. Spring wheat is near

Irish and sweet potatoes will make an average yield per acre. Meadows and pastures have seldom been in better con ottion than this season. There was near-ly an average crop of cherries and cur-rante, and more than an average crop of

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IN THE PASTRY

The Review Stirred Up. The Review is boiling over our ald reminder that its scurrilous malignity in this campaign of dirt, will not take with thinking men. We are well aware that a review of twenty years' history of Democratic secession, blundering, milk and water platforms, etc., does not tend ma-terially to quiet Democratic nerves, or tranquilize Democratic malevolence. We have but little to do with what some newspaper, whether Democratic or Republican, said about Blaine. They very likely lied before his nomination, just as they are doing since, without confining their work to Sabbath breaking, beerdrinking St Louis. This devastat ing, character-personing epidemic has broken out in Decatur. But suppose we retort by reminding the Review of what John Kelly, or Gen.

Butler, or Senator Grady, say about · Cleveland. They are Democrats. Would such a retort be honorable? We answer, no It would be beneath the contempt of honorable men. To quote lying newspapers or disappointed office seekers, or ma chine bosses, as to the virtue of a egislative cureer such as Mr. Blaine's s about as small business as even a third rate newspaper can condescend to! Does the Review think people do not read? If Mr. Blaine is the moneter the Review paints him, would the lamented Garfield have placed him at the head of his Cabinet? Would the popular voice of the people have demanded his nominstion at three consecutive conventions? The Review certainly has a high estimate of the integrity of the rank and file in the Republican party. Does it believe they are rascals? It would likely say so now, and continue to say so until after the election, when they will suddenly be

transformed into paragons of morality; especially if Mr. Cleveland should be elected. Such hypocrisy ought to be rebaked until its authors are made ashamed of it. Surely, Mr. Garfield and the people of the country made a mistake in not consulting the Review as to the advisability of making Mr. Blaine prominent. They certainly were not aware of Mr. Blaine's deficiencies, nor of the oracular infallibility of the Decatur *Review*. Any newspaper has a right to support Mr. Cleveland if it wants to, but the people are going to demand that it do it honorably. We have nothing to say, either n favor or against these candidates. Perhaps either of them would make a good President. But the people will suspect any cause which de mands mud-throwing and blackguardism to sustain it. This is enough to destroy any good cause and it ought to destroy every bad one. Mr. Cleveland's claims will not be advanced by lampooning Mr. Blaine. A party that has nothing better than this ought never to be

trusted with the reins of power. It ought to starve in its stenchful atmosphere and be buried amid its surroundings. The people of Mr. Blaine's home suppose they know as much about him as a third rate newspaper a thousand miles away. He at least has the manliness to commit himself to something in his letter of accept ance, which is more than can be said for that thing called a platform, con

structed by the Democracy at Chicago, and manifestly intended to deceive the people. This work of poiltical mountebanks is defended by the Review as a master-piece of statesmanship! It certainly knows better, if it does not, it is an object of commiseration

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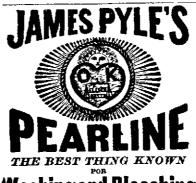
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One main upen ditch, commencing on the
south halt of section 24, fown 17 north, range
2 east of the 3d P. M. and running it a northeny direction to station 17 on the north halt of
the northeast quarter of section 13, in town 17
north, range 2 east of the id P. M. Said ditch
to be sixteen feet wide from the commencement to a junction on the southeast quarter of
section 13, town 17, range 2 east, and from said
junction to said station 17 to be fifteen feet

section 15, town 17, range 2 each, and from 5 and junction to said station 17 to be fifteen feet wide.

Also, one other main open ditch, commencing at a junction with the above described ditch, on the southeast quarter of section 13, town 17, range 2, and running in a northeasterly direction to the center line cast and west of section 35, town 18, range 3 east, and to be from said junction to the nouth line of section 7, town 17, range 3, fitteen foet wide; from thence to the section line between sections 5 and 5, town 17, range 3, flouriseen teet wide; from thence to the township line thirteen teet wide; inom thence to the township line thirteen teet wide; and from thence to the head of ditch twolve feet wide—except that portion of said last described line which lies between stations 11 and 18, and that portion which runs over and a ross the northwest quarter of section 18, town 17, range Jeast of the 32 P. M. All of said ditches to be of true slope and to the depth shown by the profile made by 6. V. Loring and on file in the County Clork's office. Plans and specifications of said work may be seen in the County Clerk's office of said county. Said work will be let by the rod in sections of a quarter of a mile in length, measured from the south end of said ditch. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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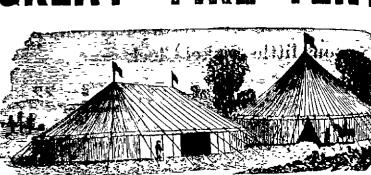
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